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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Applicants received the Restriction Requirement of October 20, 2004, in which the Examiner restricted the claims into two groups. Group I includes claims 1-16 and group II includes claims 17-21. The Applicants elect the claims in Group I (claims 1-16) without traverse, and withdraw the claims in group II (claims 17-39).

It is believed that no extensions of time or fees are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Hewlett-Packard Development Company's Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

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